## SUMMARY

An auxiliary gripping device for an excavator with articulated arms is described. The auxiliary device includes at least one supporting element fastenable to at least one of the articulated arms of the excavator, at least one movable grip element and rigid mechanical connection means to mechanically connect the movable grip element to the excavation tool of the excavator, in order to transmit to the grip element a movement generated by the rotation operating means of the excavation tool.